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Amendment

Sir:

Please amend the above identified application as follows:

In the specification

At page 6, please replace the paragraph beginning at line 3 with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- Fig. 2 illustrates a self-diagnosing electronic price label 200 according to the present invention, suitable for use as one of the electronic price labels in groups 102A through 102D of Fig. 1. The label 200 includes a label processor 202, which may suitably be implemented as a digital signal processor, and a communications interface 204 for communicating with a communication base station such as the communication base station 114A. The communications